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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE IN RE APPLICATION OF: Rajeev Valasubramonian, et al. SERIAL NO: 09/708,727 GAU: Not yet assigned FILED: January 27, 2004 (Herewith) **EXAMINER:** Not yet assigned FOR: DYNAMICALLY RECONFIGURABLE MEMORY HIERARCHY INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97 COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA. 22313-1450 Applicant(s) wish to disclose the following information. REFERENCES The applicant(s) wish to make of record the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed references are attached, where required, as are either statements of relevancy or any readily available English translations of pertinent portions of any non-English language references. A check is attached in the amount required under 37 CFR §1.17(p). **RELATED CASES** Attached is a copy of applicant's pending application(s) or issued patent(s) which may be related to the present application. These documents are listed on form PTO-1449, also attached. A check is attached in the amount required under 37 CFR §1.17(p). CERTIFICATION Each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was cited for the first time in any communication from a foreign patent office in any counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. No item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was cited for the first time in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application or, to the knowledge of the undersigned, having made reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR §1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. П This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the subject patent application. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits. **PETITION** Applicant(s) hereby request consideration of the attached information. A check is attached in the amount of the Petition fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(i)(1). DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 図 Please charge any additional fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to deposit account number 23-2185. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Respectfully Submitted, **BLANK ROME LLP** 600 NEW HAMPSHIRE AVENUE, N.W.

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